

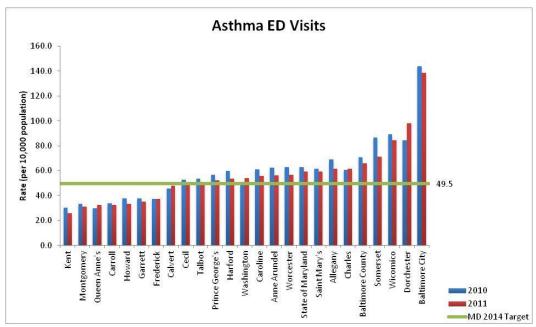
Maryland State Health Improvement Process (SHIP)

Objective 17: Reduce hospital emergency department visits due to asthma

Update Summary: On track or meeting the Maryland 2014 Target

Local-Level Data

Measure: Rate of emergency department visits due to asthma (per 10,000 population)



Data Source: Maryland Health Services Cost Review Commission (HSCRC)

Note: Data are coded by patient's county of residence. Only visits made by Maryland residents to Maryland hospitals were used for the analysis; emergency department visits made to hospitals outside of Maryland were not included.

County	2010	2011
State of Maryland	62.8	59.1
Allegany	68.9	61.6
Anne Arundel	62.5	56.1
Baltimore City	143.8	138.4
Baltimore County	70.9	66.1
Calvert	45.5	48.1
Caroline	61.1	55.8
Carroll	33.9	32.6
Cecil	52.8	50.1
Charles	60.7	61.6
Dorchester	84.3	98.0
Frederick	37.4	37.5
Garrett	37.9	35.3

County	2010	2011
Harford	59.8	53.4
Howard	37.7	33.2
Kent	30.2	25.7
Montgomery	33.1	31.3
Prince George's	56.6	52.3
Queen Anne's	29.9	32.3
Saint Mary's	61.6	59.3
Somerset	86.5	71.0
Talbot	53.7	51.0
Washington	48.7	54.2
Wicomico	89.4	84.5
Worcester	62.8	56.7